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For: SUBSTRATE FOR PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION DEVICE, PHOTOELECTRIC  
CONVERSION DEVICE, AND STACKED PHOTOELECTRIC CONVERSION  
DEVICE

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for  
examination, please amend the application as follows: